

Claims:

A listing of the entire set of pending claims (including amendments to the claims, if any) is submitted herewith per 37 CFR 1.121. This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

1. (currently amended) An apparatus comprising a memory medium storing at least one GPS-advice data set comprising a GPS-advice type, a GPS-advice range and GPS advice;

wherein the memory medium is operatively connected to a GPS device having a central processing unit and an output device; and

wherein the central processing unit of the GPS device is configured to compute a current GPS device location for the GPS device, and accept as input from a user of the GPS device, any GPS device location or GPS-advice type.

2. (cancelled)

3. (cancelled)

4. (currently amended) The apparatus of claim 1 [[2]], wherein the central processing unit of the GPS device compares the computed current, or user-input, GPS device location with the at least one GPS-advice data set, and selects the GPS-advice data set for output

to the output device if the GPS device location falls within the GPS-advice range of the GPS-advice data set.

5. (currently amended) The apparatus of claim 1 [[2]], wherein the central processing unit of the GPS device compares the user-input GPS-advice type with the GPS-advice type of the GPS-advice data set and selects the GPS-advice data set for output to the output device if the user-input GPS-advice type matches the GPS-advice type of the GPS-advice data set.

6. (original) The Apparatus of claim 1, wherein the GPS-advice comprises advertising information referable to the GPS device location.

7. (currently amended) A method for providing information to a GPS device having a central processing unit and an output device, comprising the step of storing at least one GPS-advice data set comprising a GPS-advice type, a GPS-advice range and GPS-advice on a memory medium operatively connected to the GPS device;

computing, by the central processing unit, a current GPS device location for the GPS device; and

accepting, by the central processing unit, as input by a user of the GPS device, any GPS device location or GPS-advice type.

8. (cancelled)

9. (original) The method of claim 7, wherein the central processing unit of the GPS device is programmed to compare the computed current, or user-input, GPS device location with the GPS-advice range of the GPS-advice data set, and to select the GPS-advice data set for output to the output device if the GPS device location falls within the GPS-advice range of the GPS-advice data set.

10. (original) The method of claim 7, wherein the central processing unit of the GPS device is programmed to compare the user-input GPS-advice type with the GPS-advice type of the GPS-advice data set, and to select the GPS-advice data set for output to the output device if the user-input GPS-advice type matches the GPS-advice type of the GPS-advice data set.

11. (original) The method of claim 7, wherein the GPS-advice comprises advertising information referable to the GPS device location.

12. (currently amended) A system comprising at least one GPS satellite having an allocation of memory storing at least one GPS-advice data set containing a GPS-advice type, a GPS-advice range and GPS-advice;

wherein the GPS satellite broadcasts the GPS-advice data set to a GPS device having a central processing unit and an output device; and

wherein the central processing unit of the GPS device computes a current GPS device location for the GPS device, and accepts as input from a user of the GPS device, any GPS device location or GPS-advice type.

13. (cancelled)

14. (cancelled)

15. (currently amended) The system of claim 12 [[13]], wherein the central processing unit of the GPS device compares the computed current, or user-input, GPS device location with the GPS-advice range of the broadcast GPS-advice data set, and selects the broadcast GPS-advice data set for output to the output device if the GPS device location falls within the GPS-advice range of the broadcast GPS-advice data set.

16. (currently amended) The system of claim 12 [[13]], wherein the central processing unit of the GPS device compares a user-input GPS-advice type with the GPS-advice type of the broadcast and received GPS-advice data set, and selects the GPS-advice data set for output to the output device if the user-input GPS-advice type matches the GPS-advice type of the broadcast and received GPS-advice data set.

17. (original) The system of claim 13, wherein the GPS-advice comprises advertising information referable to at least one GPS device location.

18. (currently amended) A method for providing information to a GPS device having a central processing unit and an output device, comprising the steps of:

storing at least one GPS-advice data set, comprising a GPS-advice type, a GPS-advice range, and GPS-advice in an allocation of memory of at least one GPS satellite; [[and,]]

broadcasting the GPS-advice data set from the GPS satellite for reception by the GPS device;

computing, by the central processing device, a current GPS device location; and

accepting, by the central processing device, as input by a user, any GPS device location or GPS-advice type.

19. (cancelled)

20. (original) The method of claim 18, wherein the central processing unit of the GPS device is programmed to compare the computed current, or user-input, GPS device location with the GPS-advice range of the broadcast and received GPS-advice data set, and to select the GPS-advice data set for output to the output device if the GPS device location falls within the GPS-advice range of the broadcast and received GPS-advice data set.

21. (original) The method of claim 18, wherein the central processing unit of the GPS device is programmed to compare the user-input GPS-advice type with the GPS-advice type of the broadcast and received GPS-advice data set, and to select the broadcast GPS-advice data

set for output to the output device if the user-input GPS-advice type matches the GPS-advice type of the broadcast and received GPS-advice data set.

22. (currently amended) The method of claim 18, wherein GPS-advice ~~data~~
data comprises advertising information referable to at least one GPS device location.